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## Elks' St. Patrick Ball

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and you take it home and when you have broiled or fried that steak for tonight's dinner you will say it's mighty fine and the best bit of meat the family has had in many a long day. We specialize in choice cuts.

## Rush Hockey Star by Plane for Big Game

On Monday last the council took a plebiscite for the purpose of getting the popular opinion of the ratepayers as to the kind of Town Hall to be built to replace the one destroyed. There were two propositions put before the electors as follows:

1. To build a building to include a hall for lodge and other purposes, at an approximate cost of \$7,000.

2. To build a building not to include a lodge room, at an approximate cost of \$3,000.

When the vote was counted up it was found that public opinion favored the first proposition, the vote being 36 to 5.

Owing to illness in the family we have to hold the school report over until next week owing to lack of time to set it.

The following newsitem will be of great interest to our readers as it pertains to a former resident of Mirrortown:

For the first time in the history of ice hockey a player today was scheduled to be rushed to a game by airplane.

Ashley Gaudin, star-defense man of the Palais de Glace team of the California amateur league, was to fly from San Diego to Los Angeles in time for his team's battle tonight with the Maple Leafs at the Palais de Glace, Melrose and Vermont.

Gaudin has been in the border city for the past week and expected to be detained there until a late hour today, so the plane idea was hit upon so that he could reach the scene of hostilities by 9:15 tonight, the scheduled hour for the game to commence.

Last week, with Gaudin missing from its lineup, the Palais sextet suffered its first league loss of the season. Meanwhile the second place Falcons have soared to within one point of the Palais team, and the other two teams, Maple Leafs and Palais have been going strong. So Manager Jack Austen of the Palais squad is taking no chances and promises that his entire lineup, including Gaudin, when the gong rings.

The Gaudin is a son of Mrs. S. J. Devereaux and Lorine Gaudin, of Mirrortown.

## Charity Ball Proves A Great Success

On Thursday, February 24th, the Mirror Elks gave their Charity Ball in the Grand Theatre, and it was well attended by the ladies and the general public. The net proceeds, which amounted approximately to \$50, was turned over to a committee composed of Revs. G. M. Morgan and R. G. Wood who kindly consented to act and assist the entertainment committee to distribute the funds where they will do the most good.

Applications for permits to develop hydro power in Western Ontario and Northern Manitoba are on a scale that represents an ultimate volume of 5,000,000 horse-power, indicating the industrial growth that the territory is achieving. These range all the way from the Lake of the Woods country to the basin of the Nelson River, and relate to pulp and paper mills, mining plants, civic hydro promotion and transportation projects.

During 1927 more than 6,000 Hungarians will emigrate to Canada, according to Albert de Hayden, Hungarian Consul-General of Canada, who is here on business in connection with the 6,000 countrymen who came to Canada last year. "My investigations have shown," he said, "that on the average the newly arrived Hungarians are doing fairly well despite the fact that this is a dull time of the year in farming and to a lesser extent in industrial plants."

"If they can pitch ball as well as they can snowball, they would be some team; they sure can send some 'stingers'" was the comment of one of the Calgary Scouts as he dug himself out of a concentrated valley of snowballs that the Westminster Scouts had placed on various parts of his body and face, when the Calgary boys tried to enfilade the choristers in a snow battle staged near the C.P.R. station. It was the culmination of a program arranged for the Scout choristers during the visit to Calgary recently of the Westminster Boys' Choir.

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MIRROR

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### SPECIAL LECTURES

on Forage Crops, Soil Cultivation and Poultry Raising

Special Exhibits of all Crops will be carried on the train. Supplies of seed of all crops lectured on will be available for purchase on the cars in sufficient quantities for areas up to 5-acre plots.

The cars will stop at the following places and Lectures given on the cars at the hours designated.

#### DATE AND TIME OF MEETING

Beiseker, Mar 1 at 2 p.m.	Edberg, Mar 15 at 2 p.m.
Swalwell, Mar 2 at 2 p.m.	Donalda, Mar 16 at 2 p.m.
Three Hills, Mar 3 at 2 p.m.	Red Willow, Mar 17 at 2 p.m.
Trochu, Mar 4, at 2 p.m.	Big Valley, Mar 18 at 2:30 p.m.
Huxley, Mar 5, at 2 p.m.	Rumsey, Mar 19 at 3 p.m.
Elkra, Mar 7 at 2 p.m.	Manson, Mar 22 at 2 p.m.
Delburne, Mar 8 at 2 p.m.	Dalis, Mar 23 at 2 p.m.
Mirror, Mar 9 at 2:30 p.m.	Craigmyre, Mar 24 at 2 p.m.
Bashaw, Mar 10 at 3 p.m.	Dunneller, Mar 25 at 2 p.m.
Ferintosh, Mar 11 at 3:30 p.m.	Rockyford, Mar 26 at 2 p.m.
Duhamel, Mar 14 at 2 p.m.	

Speakers will include Officials of the Department of Agriculture and District Agriculturalists.

These cars have been supplied to the Department of Agriculture by Canadian National Railway Co. free of charge and will be accompanied by one of its officials.

D. M. Johnson, West. Mgr. Dept. of Agriculture, C.N.R.  
Hon. Geo. Hoadley, S. G. Carlyle,  
Minister of Agriculture Live Stock Commissioner

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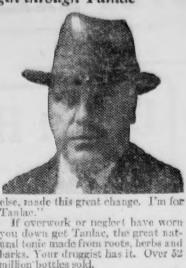
## "I want to help" says Allen Boudria

Tells facts from own experience to help others. Almost wild with pain, weak and rundown, he won new health and strength through Tanlac

Allen Boudria, engineer, of 432 St. Patrick St., is one of Ottawa's best known citizens. "My purpose in telling the facts of my experience," he said, "is to help others who suffer like I did."

"For five years I lived in misery. My whole body ached and my head and my stomach troubled most. Even a drink of cold water would cause my stomach to bleed and swell alarmingly. Once I was so bad I could not sleep at night so that I had to get up and walk the floor for hours. Violent stomach pains nearly drove me wild. I could not work and I was almost unable to straighten up."

"My friend M. Lapointe told me how Tanlac had helped him out of similar trouble. I got some and used it without fail. It worked me over. I feel 30 years younger than I am, and weigh 214 lbs. My appetite and sleep are now fine. I eat what I like and sleep like a top. Tanlac and nothing else, made this great change. I'm for Tanlac."



### Is the Vote Worth Having?

Do the people of Canada, and other countries enjoying the rights, privileges and liberties which responsible government confers upon them, fully appreciate the value of these possessions?

Reaching the long and bitter struggle that took place, first in Great Britain and later in Canada, as well as in practically all countries now under democratic governments, for the right to self-government, it would almost seem absurd to us if people stated that which was so dearly won, inquire "Is there any Canadian citizen and the only who would unquestionably be?" "Is there any value in my right of citizenship?" Actions, however, speak louder than words and how do thousands of Canadians make answer to this question when deeds rather than words are required?

The Chief Electoral Officer for Canada has recently prepared a statement of votes cast throughout the Dominion in the general election of last September, showing the total to be 2,275,642. The Dominion census of 1921 gave the population of Canada as 5,785,482. Using round numbers it may be assumed that the population was at least 5,000,000 in 1926. Of these 5,000,000 approximately one-half would be represented by those under 21 years of age or unenraptured adults, leaving about 1,500,000 qualified voters. To be quite with the mark, say 1,250,000.

In other words, approximately one million citizens of Canada qualified to vote, or almost 25 per cent. of all voters, held their right to the franchise in each small esteem that they did not like the trouble to go to the polling booths in a general election to decide questions of national policy, involving the personnel and policy of the National Government for the next five years.

This Canadian shaming, while not one to which our people can point with pride, is decidedly better than the United States record, where, in the elections of last November, when thirty-four State governors, thirty-five senators, the entire House of Representatives, nearly all the members of state legislatures, and thousands of municipal, county and other officials were elected, only one-third of the qualified voters went to the polls, the other two-thirds refusing to use their freedom and take upon their shoulders the duties and responsibilities of citizenship.

The people of Great Britain discharge the duties of citizenship better than elsewhere in the Empire, with the exception of Australia. But Australia votes under pressure and compulsion. Although its Commonwealth has equal adult suffrage such a large proportion of its people refused to use the ballot that compulsory voting was established, and with good results so far as getting the people to the polls is concerned. In the last federal election in Australia, and in a more recent national plebiscite, 90 per cent. of the total registered vote was polled.

Is it not, however, passing strange that men and women must be compelled, under pain of a fine imposed for failure to vote, to discharge the first obligation of their citizenship?

As one publication, commenting on this unusual specialty on the part of a large section of the people, very truly says, "no country can be well governed where only the professional political elements interest themselves in elections. Unfortunately a great percentage of those who refuse to vote have the cynics' conceit that they are the superior class; that politics is something beneath them. Such people are, in fact, less worthy citizens than the professional work workers in our large cities."

If Canadian citizenship is worth anything, it is worth at least the trouble involved on election day of going to the polls and exercising the franchise which such citizenship confers.

### Nearly Hundred Years Old

Experiments Made in 1835 With Electrically Propelled Cars

Electric propelled cars dates far back as 1835, when Thomas Davenport, of Vermont, and in 1837 Robert Davidson, of Scotland, both ran experimental cars by voltaic batteries, copied on the lines of the Admiralty steamers. But it was not, however, until the dynamic electric machine was perfected, so as to reduce the cost of current, that any practical system was devised.

The English and German "Cunard" and "Giant" electric trams, in 1888, was the first line in the United Kingdom which took the current from a conductor.

The coldest time of the day is the hour just after sunrise, according to scientists. This is explained by the fact that when the sun strikes the earth it causes the evaporation of a chilling moisture.

A British army regiment recently returned from Constantinople to England, after being absent 18 years and having served in eight countries.

### Distemper

Responds to treatment with Minard's. Mix with molasses and pour over a bruin wash.



W. D. F. 1870

### Incident Worth Mentioning

Union Jack Dropped From Laurent's Mainmast When Located by Diver

The story of how the gold on the W. S. St. John Laurentian sank by the Germans in the war, was recovered by divers operating from the Admiralty steamer Racer. It was not to be sold. It is one of the most thrilling in the history of sea salvage. One incident that was thought too trivial to be recorded at the time is worth mentioning now, for the touch of sea tradition it brings into the story.

The Laurentian sailed from New York in January, 1917, her strong room filled with gold and silver worth about £5,000,000. She was struck by German torpedoes off Lough Swilly and sank in 120 feet of water. After two years an effort was made to salvage, and then when a diver went down from the Racer he found, dropping from the Laurentian's mainmast, a faded flag with several rents in it—the Union Jack.

### Queen Wears Rat Coat

Many persons have admired a brown coat which Queen Mary has been wearing this winter, and numerous references have been made to it in print as "the Queen's sables" and so on. As a matter of fact it is made from the skins of rodents killed on the Royal estates and put together by a skillful furrier. Every public reference to its assumed value and the rarity of its skins is greeted with unrestrained amusement by the Royal family.

Mother: "That child doesn't get his mother's coat."

Father: "Not, none of yours is missing."

### Was Once Smugglers Haunt

But New St. Helen's is England's Most Moral Village

St. Helen's, Isle of Wight, is undoubtedly England's most moral village. So good and so peace-loving are the inhabitants that the local police station has been closed.

A policeman from Seaview, a few miles away, cycles to the village every day as a matter of form. The time of his arrival is known to all. He is greeted with smiles. There is never anything serious for him to do.

Thirty years ago things were different. Strangers had to be careful if they visited this day hamlet after dark. The inhabitants distrusted visitors, and were apt to show their dislikes. A notorious gang of smugglers had their headquarters there and quantities of rum and contraband goods passed into the island for transport to London.

Innocent little thatched cottages or the crypt of a neighboring church were used as hiding places by the smugglers. The police and the revenue men were never idle.

### RHEUMATIC VICTIMS

#### Can Find Relief Through Building Up the Blood

Pain is the symptom of rheumatism that every victim recognizes; but he generally attributes the trouble to his own frailties. He is not sure whether. But doctors know that thin blood is a marked characteristic of the trouble. Trying to cure rheumatism while the blood remains thin and watery is like trying to cure a cactus like Dr. Williams' Pink Pills that entices the blood and frees it from poison. It stimulates the heart and lungs, and cures the system. So long as the blood is maintained in a healthy condition the trouble will not return. This is not theory. It has been proved by hundreds of cases like Dr. Williams' Pink Pills that cure a great sufferer from rheumatism and although it takes a great many remedies, I find it gives permanent relief and cures the disease.

I took Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The trouble was located mostly in my shoulders, and at times it was so bad that I could not sleep at all.

Of course I suffered much pain and great inconvenience. My attention was directed to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through an advertisement in the newspaper. I had never heard of them before, and I asked a friend to buy them. I took them according to directions with the result that the rheumatism has left me, and I have never had a twinge of it since. If this never happened, I would not have had the courage to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills at once."

You can get these pills from any druggist or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medical Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Money's Power in Russia

#### Only Those Who Are Rich Can Hope to Succeed

It is evident that the country has moved very far since the heroic days when money, banks and commerce were suppressed, and when every privately-owned shop or farm was considered as a crime against Communism. But it is even worse than that. It appears today that to be able to succeed in Russia, and to acquire power, it is necessary before everything to have money. At the last elections to the rural Soviets, out of 330,000 elected, 750,000 delegates did not belong to the Communist Party. Three-fourths of the presidents of the rural Soviets were nobles or rich peasants, who have given up manual labor themselves and are content to make others work for them.

Gold which has been made too thin may be thickened by adding flour instead of more sugar. Very little is necessary.

### Pains Across Kidneys For Two Years

#### Unable to Work

#### "Gin Pills—Wonderful Remedy"

We receive thousands of letters yearly from grateful users of Gin Pills who have been relieved of suffering from kidney and bladder trouble. When Nature fails to do her proper work of eliminating harmful waste through the kidneys, Nature fails to do her duty. Many people have found Gin Pills to be this remedy. Among them, James Johnson of Bridgeburg, Ont. He writes:

"I was troubled with pains across the kidneys and bladder trouble. I was unable to do any work. I read about Gin Pills and got a box right away from your store. You can't imagine how the use of your wonderful remedy has done for me."

Neglect of kidney trouble spells disaster to the body. Rheumatism and Sciatica as well as bladder and urinary troubles follow. Upon the first warning, get a box of Gin Pills. See all druggists. National Drug Co., 100,000 boxes of Canada, Limited, Toronto, Canada. 125

Mother: "That child doesn't get his mother's coat."

Father: "Not, none of yours is missing."

### The Baby's Cold

Continued "Asting" with Internal Medicine with External & External & Little Vicks Vapor. Free externally with Vicks. You just rub it on.

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### Western Canadian Wheat

#### Saskatchewan University Investigating Protein Quality and Quantity in Wheat

"Field husbandry on trial at the bar of the world's market places," was the subject of Dean Rutherford's address in which he spoke of the first shipment of Western Canada wheat from the Old Kildonan settlement in Manitoba to Ontario 50 years ago last October. He recalled that in 1884 Dr. Angus McKay had a bumper crop but frost at the beginning of September badly froze the grain which was ground into flour at a specially erected mill. A carload of flour was shipped to Winnipeg, Toronto and Montreal and when the returns were received there was a bill of \$5 still to pay on the shipment in excess of the return.

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"Another wheat breeder out now varieties on the market before they are properly tried out in the market of strength and color," he declared, "and if you put a dark wheat on the markets of the world you are going to lower the color standard."

Dean Rutherford said it was expected that the work started at the University of Saskatchewan in 1926 with a view to finding out the factors influencing the storage of protein quantity and quality in wheat would be enlarged in the near future and co-related with field husbandry work.

In the meantime the field husbandry association could exert its influence in respect to the purification of seed sown in the fields of Saskatchewan and get a large number of farmers interested in the purity of seed.

Through the Wheat Pool organization with its 80,000 members and through other farm organizations the field husbandry association could get information out quickly to the people on the farms.

### Babies Cry For "Castoria"

#### Prepared Especially for Infants and Children of All Ages

Mother! Fletcher's Castoria has been in use for over 30 years as a pleasant, harmless substitute for Castor Oil. Paraffin, Glycerine, Beeswax, Dried Senna, Senna, Senna, Camomile, Cod-liver Oil. Proven directions are on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

The genuine bears signature of

*Chas. H. Fletcher*

#### Build Fighting Planes

#### Canada May Construct Four to Six for National Defence

Addressing militia officers at Ottawa, Major General J. H. MacBrien, chief of staff, intimated that, if the proposed national defence estimates, passed the House of Commons, Canada intended to construct a flight of from four to six up-to-date fighting airplanes equal if not superior to the Curtis scouts planes from the United States squadron which recently visited Ottawa. He also stated that Royal Canadian Air Force officers are actually working with imperial authorities on plans of the proposed mooring mast to be erected in Canada as part of an empire strategic route.

A huge snake known as a scurvy dog long and weighing 352 pounds was captured recently in Central Brazil. This snake is said to eat four times a year.

If one is troubled with worms, he will find in Holley's Corn Rooter an application that will entirely relieve suffering.

Addressing a political gathering, a speaker gave his hearers a touch of the pathetic, "I miss," he said, brushing away a not unmanly tear, "I miss many old friends I used to shake hands with."

Because labor is cheap, Indians in Bolivia, South America, are beasts of

### Is An Expert "Lineman"

Woman Manager of Texas Telephone Trouble

"Trouble on the line is no trouble at all for Mrs. J. N. Daniel, who at 73 is one of the expert telephone 'linemen' in Texas."

Mrs. Daniel is manager of the Georgetown Independent Telephone Company, the largest managed by a woman, but she does not confine her activities to sitting in a swivel chair and appearing managerial. She files every position from president of the company to trouble finder out along the far flung wires over which she presides.

It is as the menials of trouble that this vigorous gray-haired woman perhaps has developed her greatest efficiency. She hops on the company's repair truck, dashes out to run down the break in the wire, and points out to her supervisor what to do to set the wires humding again. She does everything but climb poles, she says she abandoned after she was 60.

Mrs. Daniel took over the telephone company at the death of her husband 16 years ago. Since then she has more than tripled the business. She trained herself in telephone engineering and then took a course in commercial law.

### INDIGESTION, GAS, UPSET STOMACH

#### Instantly! "Pope's Diapepsin"

#### Corrects Stomach so Meals Digest

The moment you eat a tablet of "Pope's Diapepsin" your indigestion is gone. No more distress from a sore stomach, acid upset stomach. No flatulence, griping, pain, constipation, or bloating—making you fit. Correct your digestion for a few cents. Each package guarantees by distributor to overcome stomach trouble.

Plan Domestick Aeriel League

Winnipeg Citizen's Form Committee for Furthering Aviation in Manitoba

Editor (dictating a letter)—"My dear Mr. Schenckelcausehimer—"

Miss Keyring—"How do you spell that name?"

Editor—"S-e-h-o-o, by the way, suppose you begin the letter "My dear Sir, and save the wear and tear on the machine."

The mission of Sir Alan Cobban, Canadian, to Winnipeg has already borne fruit. Following a meeting at which Sir Alan related his experiences in flying from Great Britain to Australia and back, a committee of leading Winnipeg citizens was formed for the furtherance of commercial and civil aviation in Manitoba.

The committee will investigate the possibilities of aviation in the province and co-operate with other provincial bodies that are working for the organization of a Dominion-wide aeriel league.

In urging the formation of light plane clubs, Sir Alan offered to supply any needed statistics relative to aviation.

### Did Not Prove Handicap

British Postmaster General in Gladstone's Time Was Total Blind

In spite of total blindness caused by a gun accident, Henry Everett rose to high positions in British public life. He was born in Salisbury in 1852. At the age of 32 he entered the House of Commons where his ability and devotion to worthy causes soon made him a prominent and influential member. In 1889 he became Postmaster General in the Government of Mr. Gladstone, and during his term of office he brought about many improvements in the postal service. He died in 1881.

One of the most effective vapors on the market is Miller's Worm Powders. They will not only clear the stomach and bowels of worms but will prove a very serviceable medicine for clearing up the intestinal system and for removing worms from the body.

Miller's Worm Powders are made from wormwood, wormseed, and other worm-removing herbs. No matter what may be the worms they are sure to get rid of them.

No one need be afraid to use Miller's Worm Powders. They are safe and will not do any harm. They are made from wormwood, wormseed, and other worm-removing herbs.

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## RURAL CREDITS BILL NOW GIVEN THIRD READING

Ottawa.—Third reading was given by the House of Commons to the bill to establish a federal system of rural credits. The bill is the same as that which passed the House last year but failed to become law.

The bill provides for the constitution of a Canadian farm loan board which will issue farm loan bonds to make long term loans to farmers. The Dominion Government is to provide initial capital for the board to an amount not exceeding five millions and subscribe five per cent. of the capital stock as loans are made. The Government of each province in which loans are made is required to subscribe to the capital stock of the board an amount equal to five per cent. of the loans. The borrower is required to subscribe five per cent. of his loan, payable at the time the loan is made. Farm loan bonds may be held by the Minister of Finance to the extent of 15 million dollars.

During discussion, Henri Bourassa (Independent, Labeau), moved an amendment, that, subject to the approval of any provincial loan, loans may be made through "recognized colonization societies" as well as through co-operative societies or farmers directly. The amendment, said Mr. Bourassa, would place colonization societies on an equal footing with co-operative societies in the bill; and would include Societe Nationale de Colonization, Montreal, operating under a provincial charter.

The amendment was accepted by Mr. Robb and carried.

### May Prohibit Traffic In British Honors

Text of Bill Introduced in House Has  
Been Published

London.—The text has been issued of the bill to prohibit the sale of royal honors which was introduced in the House of Commons by Ernest Thurlo, Laborite. Mr. Thurlie called it "a measure to prevent political parties filling their coffers by the sale of honors."

The bill proposes that any one who is a party to an agreement in regard to recommendation that honor be bestowed upon him, and who receives the payment of funds to a political party, be liable to a fine not exceeding £500 or six months' imprisonment with or without hard labor, or to both fine and imprisonment.

All political parties would be compelled by the bill to submit each year to the Home Secretary, certified complete return of all subscriptions received by them during the preceding year, failing which responsible officials of the party concerned are liable to the same penalties as above.

### Explorer Leaves for China

Roy Andrews Will Probe Secrets of  
Gobi Desert

Seattle, Wash.—Roy Chapman Andrews, noted explorer has sailed from here en route to China again to ferret out the secrets of the Gobi desert, which he believes was the "cradle" of mankind. The unsettled conditions in China make the date of his departure from his headquarters in Peking problematical, but the expedition will be prepared to push its way over the age old caravan trail to the desert as soon as the situation warrants.

On his last trip into the region, Andrews found dinosaur eggs estimated to be millions of years old.

### Retires From Public Life

Former Chinese Premier Has Resigned  
All Worldly Honors

Rome.—Lai Cheng Tsing, former premier of China, who is an ardent Roman Catholic, has renounced worldly honors and sent the Pope a case containing the high civil, military, and diplomatic decorations awarded him during his long diplomatic career. Along with the decorations the veteran Chinese diplomat sent the Pontiff a letter informing him of his decision to retire to private life and renounce all mundane pomp.

### Proposes Help for Canadians

Ottawa.—A proposed resolution asking that citizens of Canada deserve of settling on Western lands should receive from the government of Canada the same assistance and treatment as the citizens of Europe has been placed on the order paper of the House by Oscar Boulanger, Liberal, Belleglace. The question will probably be debated during the session.

### Asks Five Millions To Leave Shanghai

Defender of City Willing to Come to  
Terms With Nationalists

London.—With the Nationalists forces in Chungking keeping up their intensive struggle to surround and isolate the important Nanking position from Shanghai, comes a report from Shanghai that General Chang Tsung-Chang, the Shanxiangese defender of that city, has offered for a large money consideration to evacuate the terrain he holds and thus save the region from becoming a zone of actual hostilities.

Chang desires about \$5,000,000 for refitting the province of Kiangnan, says a despatch to the Westminster Gazette. If the amount is not forthcoming, it is asserted he intends, if necessary, to retreat upon Shanghai itself, thus bringing the prize city of the Orient into the struggle for mastery between the northerners and southerners. According to the correspondent, Chinese merchants in Shanghai are said to be unable or unwilling to raise the huge sum demanded.

### Workers Risked Lives Rescuing Embayed Man

Was Trapped Thirteen Hours When  
Side Caved In

Fugitive Springs, N.C.—Entombed for thirteen hours in a 70 foot well John Ashworth who had been pinned by caved in walls four feet down in the well was extricated after a group of rescue workers dug away the debris all night by the light of antique oil-headlamps, farm lanterns and candles.

Ashworth was placed in the hands of physicians when he was rescued. He said that he rested easily for the last five hours of his entombment.

When he resuming party pulled Ashworth out he was exhausted but no outward physical injury was indicated.

As soon as Ashworth's plight became known a crowd of volunteers assembled and began removing the rock caving in the well. In shifts of three men each the rescuers were lowered into the hole and as fast as they could fill buckets the debris was drawn to the top.

### Infantryman and Rifle Are Most Important

Nothing Has Been Invented to Re-  
place Them in Warfare

Ottawa.—Among all the instruments of warfare which have been invented during and since the last war there is nothing to take the place of the infantryman and his rifle, was the keynote of the annual meeting of the Canadian rifle Association here. A feature of the council's report was the recommendation of the treasurer that careful consideration be given the suggestion that the size of the team representing Canada at Bleday be reduced from two officers and 18 shooting members to two officers and 15 shooting members. The suggestion was made in view of the increased cost of ocean transportation.

### Anxious To Prevent Wars

League Interested in Keeping Peace  
Among Non-Member Countries

Geneva.—The League of Nations is interested in preventing the outbreak of any war, regardless of whether the nations concerned are members of the League. This was made clear in a report adopted by the League council committee engaged in interpreting the league covenant as an instrument for preventing war. No nations are named in the report but it indicates that any dispute, even though it involves the United States, Mexico, Turkey or any other non-member, becomes a matter of concern to the council. That body should study the advisability of bringing into play all preventive measures including aerial and naval demonstrations against the state which adopts a hostile attitude.

Thought Government Going Broke  
West Palm Beach, Fla.—A line of negroes staged a steady run on the United States Post Office here for heavy withdrawals from the Postal Savings Department, following reports circulated widely through the negro section that the Government was going broke.

### Advocates Alberta Line

Ottawa.—Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways, intends to bring down a bill to extend for two years the time for the completion of the joint section of the Canadian National rail line from Rosedale, south westward, Alberta.

### Planning British Hollywood

Great Interest Being Taken in New  
Concern Capitalized at \$5,000,000

London.—Plans for founding a British Hollywood already have been started by British motion picture producers, elated over the prospective passage of the bill now before parliament to foster British motion picture production.

British Incorporated Pictures Limited, is being formed to promote the British Hollywood. The new concern, which is capitalized at £1,000,000, plans to promote British pictures on an empire wide basis. It is stated noted artists, authors, and actors are actively interested, including John Gielgud, Arnold Bennett, Frank Frampton and Sybil Thorndike.

Extensive modern studios are to be built near London and directors are to be borrowed from American organizations on a reciprocal basis. Five year options on the film rights of stories by fourteen well-known authors have been secured. It is announced. These include Arnold Bennett, John Galsworthy, Sir Hall Caine, Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, Eden Phillips, Sir Philip Gibbs and Rafael Sabatini. Affiliated companies will operate throughout the empire.

### H. B. Road Pushing Ahead

Steel Now Within Eight Miles of  
Port Nelson

Nelson  
Winnipeg.—Laying of steel for the Hudson's Bay Railway is now across the Limestone River and within 80 miles of Port Nelson, is the report brought here by Constable E. P. Warren of the Pas division of the provincial police force. He reported that work was progressing very favorably under ideal weather conditions.

Constable Warren has just returned from a long patrol into Manitoba's hinterland, seeking evidence as to whether he was prey to be a citizen of Canada at the present juncture and that he, and Lady Willingdon, would like to work to make the corporation most successful.

### Plan To Visit Provinces

Canadian League Members Will Visit  
on Ministers of Education

Ottawa.—Deputations will be sent to the ministers of education in each of the nine provinces of the Dominion are being organized under the aegis of the League of Nations Society of Canada with a view to getting definite instruction on the origin, aims and work of the League of Nations included in the curriculum of the elementary schools throughout Canada, it became known here.

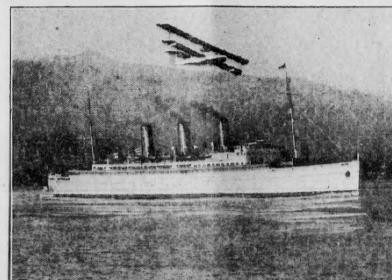
A special committee under the chairmanship of Senator H. A. B. Borden has been dealing with the matter.

### Inserted Without Authority

London.—Advertisements appearing in newspapers in Scotland and elsewhere in the Dominion government guaranteed employment to emigrants throughout the year were inserted without approval of the Canadian authorities. Hon. L. C. M. Avery, Dominion Secretary stated in the House of Commons that steps were being taken to amend the situation.

### Prince Wins Guards Race

Bicester, Eng.—The Prince of Wales, riding one of his own hunters, won the Lord Manners Cup in the Grenadier Guards regulation point-to-point races at the Bicester hunt meeting. There were fourteen other entries. The prince rode a well judged race and finished a length ahead of the second. He was given a great ovation by the crowd.



Thousands Welcome White Empress

Over 10,000 people lined the coast at Vancouver to welcome the Canadian Pacific Empress of Canada, flagship of the Pacific fleet, when she steamed into her home port from the Orient recently, glistening in her new gear of white paint. She was escorted by several Canadian Government tugs.

The decision of the Canadian Pacific to make their entire Pacific fleet white, has met with approval in the shipping world and also by passengers with whom these giant trans-Pacific liners are popular. They will be known as the "White Empresses of the Pacific" and make a beautiful picture steaming through the blue waters of the Pacific.

### CONSIDER PLANS FOR CELEBRATION OF JUBILEE DAY

Gold Seekers Stake  
Claims in Blizzard  
Another Rush Started to New Area  
in Nevada

Tonopah, Nevada.—The land of gold at Weepah held ever-increasing numbers in its spell, as miners and deer rats alike, heard the news of the latest discovery at Barrel Springs, five miles to the south. Two hundred men and women struggled through a whirling snowbank storm from Goldfield to Barrel Springs, and stakes out claims in the new area.

A suggestion that His Majesty the King should open the celebration by touching a signal in London, immediately afforded the new carnival in the tower of the Parliament Buildings would ring out, and be broadcast to all Canada, knew of the nation's gold strike, was considered and practically approved.

During the discussion, M. J. Goldwell, president of the Canadian Teachers Federation, said that great attention should be paid to the share of children and young people in the jubilee celebration. He said that the organization he represented was not greatly in favor of spending a large amount of money on parades and fireworks.

George Edwards, president of the Canadian Council of Agriculture, said he believed he expressed the views of organized agriculture when he urged upon the committee that the celebration should not be predominantly military. There should be pageants where the achievements of the pioneers should be portrayed.

The draft of the organization of the corporation, consisting of the committee, approved by the House of Commons was agreed to. A vote of thanks was expressed to Lord Willingdon and Lady Willingdon.

In replying, Lord Willingdon stated that he was proud to be a citizen of Canada at the present juncture and that he, and Lady Willingdon, would like to work to make the corporation most successful.

### SOVIETS WORRY OVER SEIZURE OF VESSEL BY CHINA

Shanghai.—A wordy battle is going on between Peking and Moscow over the seizure of the Russian vessel Pantch-Louisa and the arrest of Mme. Borodin and three Soviet couriers. In a new note demanding the release of the couriers and the vessel, the Soviet Government accuses White Russians of placing suspicious documents aboard the boat to afford a pretext for its seizure and conversion into a warship. The note asserts the couriers were subjected to "barbarous indignities."

Major Chong Tsai-Lin, war lord of the Northern Chinese armies, who has ignored the two previous Soviet protests, makes the new note that Russia not only has violated the Chinese-Russian agreement, but has ignored international obligations by sheltering the Nationalist movement at Hankow.

Some interruption of telegraphic communications with the fighting areas west and northwest of Shanghai prevented definite news reaching here. Whether this lack of news is screening new movements, especially around Wuhan, is not known. That city was captured by the Cantonese recently.

There were rumors of negotiations between General Li, commanding the Shantung troops in Shanghai, and General Chang Kai Shek, commander-in-chief of the southern armies, to arrive at an agreement whereby Shanghai could be peacefully occupied by the Nationalists.

### Canada Will Remain Loyal Is Devoted Part of Empire Says Sir Vincent Massey

New York.—Canada will for all time remain a devoted, loyal part of the British Empire and its policy toward other nations will be one of friendliness, Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian ambassador to the United States, told a distinguished gathering of two thousand here. The occasion was the diplomatic dinner of the American Women's Association, and Mr. Massey was one of a group of special representatives attending.

Mr. Massey stated the tariff board afforded industry in Canada an opportunity to ask for increased protection.

The human element in industry, however, was not given any protection.

### THE OUTLOOK FOR IMMIGRATION IS VERY FAVORABLE

Says Age of 125 Years is Possibility  
of the Future

Parma.—A life span of 125 years and old age of a few months instead of many years are among the future possibilities discussed by Dr. Sege Voronoff, the eminent specialist in glandular operations, before an assemblage of foreign newspaper correspondents.

It has been established, said Voronoff, that some men had lived 125 years.

"Therefore," he added, "I and others have the right to live that long."

Voronoff said the glands make the human machinery run and consequently the replacement of glands means that life can be prolonged. He added that in thousand glands had been grafted over a period of seven years and the future would tell how long the new glands would last.

### Police Hunt for Poison

Boxes Loot Off Hospital Van Picked  
Up By Children in London Slums

London.—Squads of police worked feverishly all night trying to recover 261 tubes of powerful poison which fell off a hospital van in London's east side. The tubes were picked up by small children who used them for playthings.

All night the police hunted the missing tubes from one child to another and by noon had recovered 209. The tubes were packed in bright orange colored boxes which made them very desirable toys in the eyes of the poor children of the section.

### Soviet Comprise Plan

Berlin.—Foreign Minister Stresemann's acceptance at Geneva of a compromise plan for policing the Saar Valley after the withdrawal of occupational troops was unanimously approved by the cabinet. His policy regarding the status of Germans in upper Silesia also was upheld.

## International Grain Show

Regina Is Planning for Big Congress in 1932

Plans for the holding of an international grain show at the 1932 summer exhibition in Regina to be followed by a World's Grain Congress during the 1932 exhibition were discussed at a meeting of the Regina exhibition board recently.

The agricultural committee's report which was adopted by the can directorate expressed the conviction that the present time is not only the most opportune for holding an international grain show at the Regina exhibition, in view of the fact that the other important centres are seriously considering similar action, but that the establishment of such a show this year would prove the most acceptable forewarning of the World's Grain Congress at Regina in 1932.

By confining the show and keeping it up to international standards during this and the succeeding years, the greatest possible aid will be given toward a successful larger show in 1932. Speaking frankly, this is the ultimate aim of your committee and the present plans for this year's international grain show, as well as the plans for the shows of the following years, all center around a World's Grain Congress at Regina in 1932.

The discussion in committee brought out the wonderful possibilities of holding an international grain show here, with sufficient cash prizes and encouragement offered to make it attractive as an international event and thus, by stimulating and increasing interest in this show each year, gradually prepare for the World's Grain Congress. There is no question in the minds of the members of your committee that Regina should lead as an international grain exhibition centre or that this is the logical place for the holding of a world's congress."

Prize money totalling \$232 divided into 20 prizes will be offered in each of three classes—for spring wheat, Marquis variety; for any variety spring wheat, and for winter oats.

Addition of other crops will be made from time to time, as the first three prove successful.

### Reviving Forgotten Craft

Display of Timeworn Prints May Bring Art Again Into Favor

In a little room behind a news agent's shop in Oldstreet, in the city of London, is hidden all the remains of an almost forgotten craft which is once again beginning to feel the stirrings of new life.

It is the glassblowing, in brilliant colors, of pearls and pendants, and its only living exponent is the proprietor of the shop, W. G. Webb, who until a few months ago, was content to gaze upon his quaint treasures and to regard them as something irreverently obsolete.

Then he was persuaded to exhibit 60 of them at the Faculty of Arts Galleries, and now they have become the latest craze among wealthy collectors.

Asked if there was really anything in the rumors of a revival of this art, Mr. Webb said:

"They tell me I have a collection that knocks the one in the London Museum into fits. I have sold quite a number lately, particularly to Americans, and a lot of people have been making inquiries."

"I hadn't thought much about it till people started making a fuss, but I've done these," indicating some framed pictures, "since the exhibition, and, of course, I may work up a business again."

"I was taught the work thoroughly as a boy, as was my father before me. It was his uncle who started the business, so I am the third generation, and it is possible that my son may be able to succeed me."

"I have 6,000 pieces, most of them extremely small. All are old, for, to my knowledge, no one has been made for at least 50 years, and many may be quite a hundred years old."

"The greatest difficulty in getting the glass. No one else uses it. The trade secret lies in getting the paper on the back of the glass ready for stamping."

The people of Azzizia, a desert village in Tripoli, North Africa, are forced to live in underground dwellings, reached by tunnels through the rock, in order to withstand the temperature of 116 degrees Fahrenheit.

Cultivators— I ordered strawberries. Where are the strawberries?

The baker's boy—That's what it's short of.

The turpentine for washing sinks which have become dull and dirty.

The native dog in Japan is queer, boldsome and cowardly.

## Improving the Tomato

Endeavoring to Secure Early Varieties Without Lowering the Quality

Good progress is being made by the Dominion Horticulturist in developing by breeding and selection improved varieties of the tomato. An effort is being made to secure in early varieties the same excellence as some of the later sorts possess. Selected strains produced from crosses of Alacrity, a late, fast and Livingston tomatoes, whose union in combination are showing highly desirable uniformity for earliness, with fine shape and quality of fruit. A feature of interest is that where a late maturing variety like Livingston, Glebe, was crossed with Bonny Best a reduction in the number of days, from sowing the seed to readiness for use was recorded. One, a cross between Alacrity and Bonny Best, has given a more promising result, possessing the earliness of Alacrity with the smoothness and symmetrical form of Bonny Best. The quality of the fruit is said to be superior to Alacrity, being less acid.

## Immigrants Guaranteed Work

British Immigrants Under Empire Settlement Plan Will be Looked After

J. S. Woodsworth, (Labor, Winnipeg North Centre), read in the House of Commons from an advertisement which appeared recently in the Galway Gazette of Scotland, stating that Canadian immigrants were guaranteed employment by the Canadian government throughout the year. Mr. Woodsworth asked if this was so and if not, would the department take steps to stop misrepresentation?

Hon. Robert Park, minister of immigration, stated that immigrants coming to Canada, on the two pound rate under the Empire Settlement agreement, were guaranteed employment, but there was no guarantee that such immigrants would remain in that employment. The department undertook to keep track of these immigrants for five years. Those arriving in the country, apart from the Empire Settlement scheme came on their own responsibility, however.

## Profitable For the Jeweler

Provincial Society Women in England Rent Gems Instead of Buying Them for Service on Social Occasions

They simply go to the local jeweler and hire what they need for the evening.

In the west of England as well as several other midland towns the jewelry store is a meeting place for known residents and when a big function or dance is scheduled the jeweler lets out rings, bracelets, earrings and pendants at a moderate charge.

It is an uncommon thing for one to store to have as much as £1,000 worth of jewelry lent in a single evening. In many cases the wearer has the same article time after time and has paid sufficient money in small amounts to have purchased it outright.

A London trader who keeps a block of non-payers says Scotsmen and Jews are the best payers. Englishmen are just average, while Welshmen and Irishmen are the worst.

A verbal marriage agreement is legal in Russia.

The London Daily Mail's Johannesburg, South Africa, correspondent sent a discouraging account of the new Graaf-Reinet diamond field. He said that although there are some rich patches of ground, many of the diggers have drawn blanks. Hundreds of them already have left the diggings. Many farmers who sold their farms and bought worthless claims are destitute.

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## Buying Autos By the Pound

Interesting Information Given in Survey by Cleveland Bank

How much do you pay for automobiles by the pound? Of course, motor cars aren't bought and sold that way, but the price per pound makes an interesting comparison. It has been figured out by a Cleveland bank for fourteen leading makes of closed cars.

In comparing cars of various manufacturers, it is to be remembered that a great deal more than mere weight of materials goes into motor-car making and into motor-car prices. Mechanical quality, performance, power, strength, durability, style, workmanship, finish, are all to be considered.

But taking cars by their weight, it is found by the Cleveland Trust company that Ford gives the best for the money, and purely on the weight basis, Rolls Royce gets the least.

Here is the list price—by the pound: Ford, 25c; Charron, 31c; Dodge, 32c; Overland, 34c; Star, 37c; Nash, 39c; Buick, 39c; Studebaker, 41c; Oldsmobile, 41c; Hudson, 42c; Cadillac, 52c; Lincoln, 51c; Packard, 51c; Rolls Royce, \$2.94.

This showing leads the Cleveland institution to philosophize upon how much more the dollar car, buy per pound of fine, comfortable and fast vehicle than was possible a few years ago. It says:

"Twenty-five years ago a good bicycle weighed twenty-five pounds and cost \$100, which was \$1 per pound. The workmanship of the modern automobile is much finer than that of the old bicycle and the materials are of higher grade, but the cost per pound of an automobile is lower than that of many kinds of relatively crude machinery, such as wheelbarrows and clothes wringers, for example."

## Has Non-Existent Church

Vicar Assigned to Charge in Village Described as "Lost"

When the Rev. S. Morris, vicar of Wolvey, takes charge of the Benefice of Burton Hastings and Stretton Bassettville, England, shortly, he will be in charge of a church that no longer exists. The village of Stretton is known as the lost village. It existed in the time of Richard III, when the lord of the manor organized all his men to fight for the King at Bosworth Field. But Richard was defeated and Henry VII, the conqueror, razed the village to the ground in order to revenge himself. Nothing but the church tower and the spot where the church stood is now a cattle grazier.

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## Does More Thorough Job

Vacuum Cleaner Is Used to Groom Army Mules

The army mule is being glorified by the vacuum cleaner—and likes it.

Use of vacuum cleaners in place of grooming by hand has been voted an undoubted success by commanders of horse and mule units of the army, according to a survey published in the current number of the Field Artillery Journal.

The machines do a more thorough job and complete the work in one-fifth of the time taken by hand, the survey showed. An average of a gallon of dirt was removed from every dozen animals, and cants took on a fine gloss.

So effective were the vacuum cleaners in getting at the root of the dirt that army mules and horses in many posts were permitted to go through the winter months without their periodic clipping.

Nervousness disappeared after one application of the new machine and horses submitted quietly to its use. It was reported that mules seemed to experience sensations of pleasure from the massage effect of the appliance. In fact, one report told of a notorious mule which the soldiers dreaded to groom. Its "incubus" vanished at the initial touch and the animal visibly leaped against the suction brush with much content.

Some people are criticized because they won't talk and some because they will.

## Literature Worth Studying

Canadian Writers Producing Fine Work Which People Should Appreciate

Canada is the only civilized country in the world which does not make the systematic study of its national literature compulsory in the schools, Dr. Lorne Pierce, of Toronto, told the Women's Canadian Club at Regina recently. His remarks came in the course of an interesting address on "Canadian Literature and the National Ideal," given at the Kitchener hotel.

That the prospect may become a reality is indicated by a promising experiment which is being conducted by the department of agricultural engineering at the University of Saskatchewan.

Mounted on the top of the engineering building is a contraption that works on the principle of a windmill which is storing up electricity at a rate that should meet the requirements of the average house. It is known as the Perkins' Aeroplane and has been under test since last October.

Professor A. R. Grogg and W. C. Wood are working on the problem.

Power to run a generator is supplied by a two-bladed affair that looks very much like an airplane propeller. Connected directly with a set of gears from the engine of the propeller is a small generator. Two wires lead from the generator down to the storage batteries which store up the energy until it is required. The propeller which, as stated before, is much like an airplane propeller, is ten feet from end to end. It is designed to run at a much higher speed than the ordinary windmill wheel. The slightest variation in the wind shows a perceptible increase or decrease in speed.

Judging from the speed at which the airplane goes in an average breeze it has a revolving rate of about five times the ordinary windmill, or probably about 1,900 revolutions per minute.

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## Silent For Over a Century

Bell From Nelson's Flagship Used at Seamen's Benefit Concert in Liverpool

After a silence of 122 years, when it did its part to bring success to the British navy at the battle of Trafalgar, the bell of Lord Nelson's flagship Victory, rang once again in St. George's Hall, Liverpool, England.

The bell was used to peal out the watches at an entertainment given for the benefit of seamen's institutes under the auspices of the British Steamship interests. In past years the ships' bells of the famous sailing vessels Cutty Sark and H.M.S. Bombay have been used on shipboard but the hero's bell was used this night for the first time by permission of the Admiralty.

Was Brainless Mine Mule

Old Dick, known to the older drivers and company hands of the Yorktown mines in Pennsylvania, as one of the "brainless" mine mules in the anthracite fields, died recently. For over twenty years Old Dick was the blue ribbon hard-tail of the Yorktown colliery and possessed intelligence that was surprising. It was said that he could open a latch, tie or undo a knot, open and close the stable door, remove his own harness and do many other feats that made him the pride of the colliery.

"His young husband a prospering business?" the young bride was asked.

"Indeed he has," was the confident reply. "He must be taking lots of money, for he told me last night they had to appoint a receiver to assist him."

"The invention of radio is not new."

"Not?"

"No. The first loudspeaker was made from Adam's rib."

A combination walking stick and go-cart has been invented by a British racing driver.

## DADDY OF THEM ALL



Mount Robson, British Columbia, is the highest peak of the Canadian Rockies and is one of the biggest attractions the Dominion has to offer. It is a mountain with equal claim to the Prince Rupert and Vancouver lines of the Canadian National Railways. The view from the hotel is shown in the upper photograph. Below is seen the grotto from the north slope of Mount Robson, a glacial hollow from the track to Tumbling Glacier which the Canadian National Railways have erected an electric cabin for the accommodation of tourists. There has been made headquarters to Emperor Falls, the Valley of a Thousand Falls, and other interesting sections of the Rockies in and about Mount Robson.



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Payable in advance in all cases  
Mirror Mail Printing Co., Pub.  
J. Saywright, Mgr.

**Advertising Rates**

Local advertising more than  
six months, 25¢ per inch per  
issue, R.O.I.; preferred position  
30¢ per inch per issue; less than  
six months 30¢ per inch per issue;  
foreign advertising, plate  
matter 30¢ net for more than  
six months and 40¢ net for less;  
set matter 5¢ higher in each  
case. One insertion 50¢ per in.  
Professional cards \$20.00  
per year, payable quarterly.

All notices of meetings 15¢  
and 10¢; church organizations  
free except where a charge is  
made.

Lost and Found, 50¢ for first  
insertion, 25¢ each subsequent  
insertion.

All advertising payable monthly  
with the exception of single in-  
sertions which are cash. All Job  
work cash.

Thursday Mar. 3, 1927

**Here and There**

At a meeting of the fox breeders  
of the Annapolis Valley, held at  
Middleton, it was stated that silver  
black foxes in captivity in the  
province number approximately 10,000  
which, at a low valuation of \$200  
each, makes a total value of \$2,000,  
000. The annual revenue to the  
ranchers is placed at \$600,000.

What is practically the first sheet  
of copper salvaged and rolled in  
Canada is now at Regina to go on  
the roof of the new Canadian Pacific  
Hotel there. As at Regina and at  
Baif, where magnificent new hotels  
are being erected by that Company,  
Canadian materials will be used  
in the building of the new Toronto  
hotel.

The population of the Prairie Pro-  
vinces in 1926 was 2,067,682, ac-  
cording to the census taken in that  
year. This compares with 1,698,137  
in 1916, and 808,616 in 1906. In the  
twenty year period Manitoba has in-  
creased its inhabitants from 365,688  
to 639,056; Saskatchewan from 257,  
765 to 821,042; and Alberta from  
185,195 to 607,584.

In view of pressure on the trans-  
portation facilities of the Canadian  
Pacific Railway when the full tide  
of immigration and harvest travel  
falls on the line during the early  
fall months, the railway has already  
taken steps to cope with this by  
sending 215 colonist cars for repair  
and overhauling to the Angus Shops,  
the work to be finished upon them  
not later than April 1st.

Professor W. L. Carlyle, manager  
of the Prince of Wales ranch, near  
High River, is en route to England  
where he will consult his royal em-  
ployer regarding business matters  
pertaining to the ranch, purchase  
new stock and arrange for the usual  
year by year extension of the  
Prince's commercial activities in Al-  
berta.

The presentation of 12 first aid  
awards to members of the Montreal  
terminal staff by A. D. MacTier,  
vice-president in charge of C.P.R.  
eastern lines, recently brings the  
total number of awards earned by  
Montreal employees of the Canadian  
Pacific during the past year up to  
78. The number of employees pass-  
ing the necessary yearly tests is in-  
creasing over 700 employees at the  
Angus Shops alone now efficient in  
the work.

A frozen lunch on the rinks is the  
latest innovation to provide the un-  
usual for the guests at the Chateau  
Frontenac, Quebec. At the fashion-  
able hour smartly uniformed waiters  
skate out upon the ice pushing a  
serving table mounted on skates. Its  
crowning glory is a steaming tea  
urn and its appearance is the signal  
for the skaters to gather round to  
sip real English tea. The innovation  
has proven a great success for it  
adds the finishing touch to an  
afternoon's skate.

**THE MIRROR DAIRY**

W. H. Craven, Prop.  
Milk and Cream Deliv-  
ery in bottles only.

All milk handled in a  
sanitary manner

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

A very fine line of the season's newest samples just  
arrived from TIP-TOP Tailors. Men desiring a new  
Spring or Summer Suit or Overcoat are earnestly re-  
quested to come in and make their selection. 124 differ-  
ent patterns, all at the popular TIP-TOP price \$27.00.  
Get your suit measured when the traveller is here.

THURSDAY, MARCH 10th

**Grocery Specials**

Mixed Cookies per pound.....	35¢
Arrowroot Biscuits per pound.....	45¢
Cooking Onions.....	6 lbs for 25¢
Libby's Catsup.....	25¢
Bulk Coffee, a superior blend, per pound.....	60¢
Oranges, sweet and juicy, per dozen.....	45¢
Try McGavin's Bread, it's made with milk— white, brown and raisin	

at C. SHIRVELL'S

George Ray leaves today for  
Vancouver where he intends to  
reside.

Mayor Estell is in Edmonton  
this week attending the annual  
meeting of the Chrysler dealers.  
Earl says everybody wants a  
Chrysler.

Mrs. James Morley, of Ches-  
ley, Ont., is spending a few  
days with Mrs. J. W. Spicee.

On Monday at 3 p.m. the in-  
fant son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore  
Neis, who died on Sunday,  
was laid to rest in Mirror cem-  
etery, Rev. H. G. Wood con-  
ducting the service.

The many friends of the Rev.  
J. E. Collins, who at one time  
served on the Mirror Field, will  
regret to learn of his death,  
which occurred in hospital at  
Nashville, Tenn., as a result of  
motor car accident.

The death occurred at Madoc,  
Ont., of Henry Wanamaker, on  
February 15th at the advanced  
age of 89 years, passing away  
on the anniversary of his birth-  
day. He leaves a widow and  
eight children, four boys and  
four girls, including Mrs. J. W.  
Trotter, of Mirror, to mourn  
the loss of a devoted husband  
and father.

A quiet wedding took place  
on Monday at the Union Church  
Parsonage when Margaret, da-  
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Ingram, became the bride of  
Forest Mitchell, youngest son  
of the late William and Mrs.  
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day in every month.

W. A. 3rd Thursday of each  
month.

Ripley Ladies Aid meets 3rd  
Thursday of each month.

Lake Bend Community Club  
last Wednesday of each month.

Ladies Aid 2nd Thursday in  
each month.

A. R. HOPKINS

Livery, Dray  
and Transfer

Phone 18 MIRROR

J. G. RUSSELL, LL.B.

Barrister, Solicitor, Notary

Fire, Hail and Life Insurance

TOWN HALL MIRROR

Sorom's Barber Shop

Shaving and Hair Cutting

Ladies' Hair Bobbing a Specialty

Choose your style

Satisfaction Guaranteed

Next to Garage MIRROR

**Around the Town**

Furniture for Sale—Apply to  
Mrs. Geo. Burt. Phone 30.

Mrs. Oldring and Netta spent  
last week visiting friends at  
Camrose.

Services in the Union Church  
this week, Ripley 2:30; Mirror  
7:30.

The old Brackney pool hall  
has again changed hands, the  
late proprietor leaving for parts  
unknown Sunday night.

It has been reported that the  
shop of Cuttum & Curlett & Co.  
will be open in the near future  
or as soon as weather permits  
the finishing of the building.

N. J. Devereaux was in Cal-  
gary last week attending a  
meeting of the Retail Merch-  
ants.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Gainey were  
Calgary visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Curr are  
spending a couple of weeks in  
Calgary.

Mrs. J. F. Flewwelling has  
been in Camrose for the past  
visiting her son who is confined to  
the hospital.

Mr. Vandersyle, teacher at  
the Ripley school, spent Sunday  
at his home in Clive.

Mirror business places are on  
the increase; it is reported that  
we will have no less than four  
barbers in the near future.

Toxins, Monday 7 p.m. C.G.L.  
T. Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Trail  
Rangers, Friday, 7 p.m.; Ben-  
vers, Saturday, 10 a.m.

H. J. Snell, Optometrist, will  
be at the W. L. building, Mirror,  
on Friday March 18th and  
every third Friday of the month  
thereafter.

FOR SALE—University 222  
Seed Wheat; high germination;  
clean; \$1.50 per bus. bags extra.  
G. L. Bailey, Mirror, Alta.

The ladies of the L. O. A.  
will hold a sale pillow cases and  
hand towels in the W. L. building  
March 19th. Tea will be served  
2 to 6.

**"Just What the Doctor Ordered"**

is a very familiar phrase; yet do you consider it when  
having your prescription filled?

**FILLING PRESCRIPTIONS**

is the most important work we do, and we take pride in  
doing it right. All medicines used in our Dispensary are  
of the highest standard of strength and purity.

**DEVEREAUX DRUG STORE****Bargains in Second-Hand Goods**

1 Viking Cream Separator, 600 capac. \$40.00

1 Viking Cream Separator, 375 capac. \$20.00

1 Iron Bed and Spring 8.50

1 Heater 8.00

1 16 1-2 Vesot Grinder 22.50

Why pay double at Auction Sales for inferior goods

**Mirror Furniture & Implement Store**

J. F. FLEWWELLING

Agent for John Deere Plow Co., Imperial Oil Ltd.,  
Mason & Risch Pianos

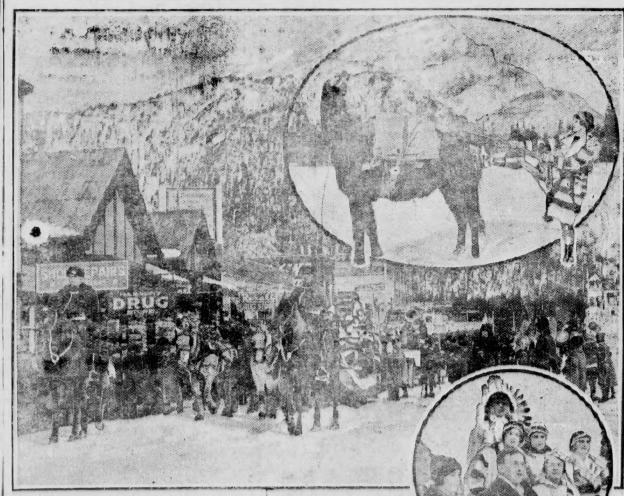
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THE OLD COUNTRY**

Whom you wish to assist in com-  
ing to this country come in and  
see us. We make all necessary  
arrangements.

J. T. Kerr, Agent, Mirror Phone 17

AGENT FOR ALL STEAMSHIP LINES

CANADIAN NATIONAL

**Renew Your Subscription****All Roads Lead to Banff**

Grand Carnival march at Banff headed by Mountain Drug Co. Upper inset: Queen of the Carnival packing a pony. Lower inset: Scene at the crowning of the Queen of the Carnival.

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